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officer to be in charge of this work, as this work coupled with his normal duties would be too much for the Director of Public Instruction and as he would not be in a position to discharge this work properly?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM: First a decision will have to be taken whether this library movement could afford to have a separate officer at district or taluk level. If that becomes feasible, the question of having a separate head of department will arise. As it is in view of the paucity of funds, it will not be practical possibility to have separate officers for libraries. That is why we have asked the Educational Authorities to look after the libraries also.

The Madras Children Amendment Act, 1958

* 90 A *Q.*—SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI : கனம் உள்விவகார அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவுசெய்து பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) 1958-ம் வருடத்திய குழந்தைகள் பாதுகாப்புச் சட்டத்தின்படி 16 வயதிற்குட்பட்ட பெண்கள் தவருக நடந்தார்கள் என்று எத்தனைபேர் கைது செய்யப்பட்டார்கள் ?

(ஆ) பெற்ரோர்கள் எத்தனைபேர் கைது செய்யப்பட்டார்கள் ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) & (*b*) There were no arrests.

Madhavaram Milk Colony

* 90-B *Q.*—SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether steps are being taken to start Central Dairy at Madras as part of Madhavaram Milk Colony;

(*b*) how many heads of cattle would be moved to this colony;

(*c*) when would that be moved; and

(*d*) whether our Government are getting any aid from New Zealand under Colombo Plan in this respect?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) Yes, Sir.

(*b*) The Colony aims at the admission of 4,000 heads of cattle.

(*c*) The buildings for the first unit of 500 heads of cattle is nearing completion and it is hoped to commence the admission by October 1959.

(*d*) The New Zealand Government have offered to the Government of India a free gift of a sum of £2,15,000 or about Rs. 29 lakhs towards the Madras Dairy and Milk Project and this aid will be made available to the State Government.